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COLONIAL NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK

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Superintendent's Compendium

Of Designations, Closures, Permit Requirements and Other Restrictions Imposed Under

Discretionary Authority.

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In accordance with regulations and the delegated authority provided in Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations ("36 CFR"), Chapter 1, Parts 1-7, authorized by Title 16 United States Code, Section 3, the following provisions apply to all lands and waters administered by the National Park Service, within the boundaries of Colonial National Historical Park. Unless otherwise stated, these regulatory provisions apply in addition to the requirements contained in 36 CFR, Chapter 1, Parts 1-7.

Written determinations, which explain the reasoning behind the Superintendent's use of discretionary authority, as required by Title 36 CFR Section 1.5(c), appear in this document identified by italicized print.

36 CFR §1.5 – VISITING HOURS, PUBLIC USE LIMITS, CLOSURES, AND AREA DESIGNATIONS FOR SPECIFIC USE OR ACTIVITIES

(a)(1) The following visiting hours, public use limits, and closures are established: (see attached maps)

Visiting Hours: 6:00 a.m. to Sunset

- Yorktown Battlefield: All roads, parking areas, fields, open and wooded areas, Victory Monument, Yorktown National Cemetery, visitor center, park facilities, redoubts, earthworks and siege lines collectively termed the Yorktown Battlefield with the exception of the public roads maintained and operated by Virginia Department of Transportation.
- The following pullouts along the Colonial Parkway- Naval Weapons Station, York River, Jones Mill Pond, Great Oaks, Paper Mill, Real Estate, Neck of Land and Powhatan Creek.
- Holding any event after normally scheduled visiting hours requires a Special Use Permit.

Visiting Hours: 8:30 a.m. to Sunset

- Historic Jamestowne: All NPS lands and waters beyond the entrance gate to Historic Jamestowne
 including the visitor center, Historic Jamestowne Research Center, Glasshouse, property belonging
 to Preservation Virginia, all roads, parking areas, trails, park facilities and creeks.
- The Neck of Land visitor contact station and parking lot. Seasonal operation.
- Holding any event after normally scheduled visiting hours requires a Special Use Permit.

<u>Public Use Limits</u>: Parking area time limits: Vehicles may not park, stand, or remain in the following parking areas for consecutive periods of time in excess of that indicated as follows and as posted at the designated location:

- Cornwallis Cave, Untouched Redoubt, Washington's Headquarters, and the following pullouts along the Colonial Parkway- Naval Weapons Station and York River: 10 minutes.
- Yorktown Victory Monument, Redoubts 9 and 10, and Fusilier's Redoubt: 20 minutes.
- The Beach Picnic Area is closed to all public use from November 1st to April 1st each year, or as determined by York County.
- The Superintendent may close all or portions of the park during periods of inclement weather, based on forecasts of inclement weather, or due to other hazardous conditions. Closures will be identified by posting signs, maps, media notifications, and/or barriers and gates as appropriate.

Areas of new construction, reconstruction or rehabilitation may be closed to visitors for safety
reasons and to avoid unreasonable conflict with authorized work. Roads and other facilities may be
closed during periods of inclement weather or periods of other hazardous conditions in order to
ensure public safety.

Closures:

- A. The parking of motor vehicles along the following roadways is prohibited:
 - 1. State Route 238 from Cook Road east to the U.S. Coast Guard Reserve Training Center.
 - 2. East and West Tour Roads and the Historic Jamestowne roads where no designated spaces have been provided.
 - 3. Colonial Parkway, except in designated areas.
 - 4. Surrender Road, except at the horse trailer parking area.
 - 5. On any park roadside areas not designated for parking.

These closures are in effect to protect the cultural and natural resources of the park and to provide for public safety along the narrow roads and/or major traffic routes such as the Colonial Parkway.

- B. The following areas are closed to all public use, entry and access at all times:
 - The Green Spring Plantation unit on Route 614, James City County. Access to this area of the park is only granted by Special Use Permit.
 - 2. Ringfield Plantation site on the Colonial Parkway.
 - 3. The beach areas known locally as "Cove 2" and Cove 3" and all areas between the chain link fence and the York River at the Yorktown Battlefield.
 - 4. Bellfield Plantation site.
 - The narrow wooded area between Lakeshead Drive and the Colonial Parkway from Km 16-17 that
 has been used for unauthorized access to the Colonial Parkway.

These closures are in effect to protect the cultural and natural resources of the park, especially at the Green Springs Plantation and the Ringfield Plantation. Neither have any visitor use facilities. Closure of the coves is for the protection of the park's cultural and natural resources and to provide for public safety because of the steep terrain, bluffs and cliffs. There is no trail access into the areas.

- C. Sports and Recreation: The following areas are closed to public use involving sports or recreational activities to include, but not limited to kite flying, ball games, Frisbee throwing: (see attachments 1 & 2)
 - All National Park Service areas on the north side of Route 238 and Ballard Street, and east of the Colonial Parkway and Tobacco Road in Yorktown, except for the Beach Picnic Area.
 - 2. Yorktown Battlefield, all earthworks, redoubts and siege lines in the Park.
 - 3. Surrender Field at the Yorktown Battlefield.
 - Yorktown Victory Monument. All lawn areas adjacent to the monument on the north side of Main Street.
 - 5. The Yorktown National Cemetery.
 - 6. All areas of Historic Jamestowne beyond the entrance gate.

The above closures are in effect in order to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP and to provide visitors with the appropriate experience to be able to understand and comprehend the events that occurred in the park.

- <u>D. Public Fishing and Boating</u>: Except by written authorization, all fresh water impoundments and certain riverbank fishing areas within the park are closed to fishing and boating, to include the following areas:
 - 1. Wormley Pond.
 - 2. Jones Mill Pond.
 - 3. Bracken's Pond.
 - 4. All waters beyond the entrance gate to Historic Jamestowne.
 - 5. Cove 2 and Cove 3 of the Beach Picnic Area.

6. Fishing from any bridge or overpass in the park.

The closure is in effect in order to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's cultural and natural resources and to provide for public safety.

<u>E. Closures at the Colonial Parkway Tunnel</u>: The tunnel on the Colonial Parkway under the Colonial Williamsburg Historic Area is closed to bicycles and pedestrians at all times.

The closure is in effect to provide for public safety and to prevent accidents in the tunnel.

F. Picnicking: The following areas are closed to picnicking:

- All areas of the Yorktown Battlefield with the exception of: the Beach Picnic Area, the lawn areas immediately adjacent to the Church Street parking lot, the parking areas and adjacent lawn areas at the Yorktown visitor center.
- All areas of Historic Jamestowne except the designated picnic areas near the bus parking lot and the bus loading/unloading area at east end of the parking lot.
- 3. All areas along the Colonial Parkway, except at pullouts along the Parkway.

The closure is in effect in order to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's cultural and natural resources.

G. Camping: All areas of the park are closed to camping.

The closure is in effect in order to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's cultural and natural resources and because the park doesn't have camping facilities available in the park. Local private, city and state campgrounds are located near the park.

 $\underline{\text{H. Horse and Pack Animals}}.$ The following areas are closed to horse and pack animals: (see attachments 1 & 2)

The Colonial Parkway and adjacent areas.

2. Any agricultural fields that are under production/lease.

3. Riding on any paved portion of park roads, except to cross over the roads.

4. All areas of Historic Jamestowne beyond the entrance gate.

The Yorktown National Cemetery.

 Yorktown Battlefield, north of Route 238, and Ballard Street, and east of the Colonial Parkway and Tobacco Road, east to the U.S. Coast Guard Reserve Training Center.

See also 36 CFR § 2.16 of this document and Attachments 1 &2.

The closure is in effect in order to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's natural and cultural resources and to provide for public safety, to include the riders and motorists.

I. Pets: The Yorktown National Cemetery, described as the area within and enclosed by the brick wall at that location is closed to the possession of pets by park visitors. See also 36 CFR § 2.15 of this document

Closure in effect to maintain the honor and dignity of the national cemetery.

<u>J. Snowmobiles</u>: The operation of snowmobiles in the park is prohibited. See also 36 CFR § 2.18 of this document.

The closure is in effect to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's natural and cultural resources and to provide for public safety.

K. Winter Activities: Sledding is prohibited in the park with the exception of the following areas- the open lawn on the west side of the Yorktown visitor center, adjacent to the park administrative offices and the

area known as the "Great Valley". Ice skating is prohibited at all locations within the park. See also 36 CFR \S 2.19(B).

The closure for winter activities is in effect to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's natural and cultural resources and to provide for public safety.

L. Swimming, Wading, and Bathing: Swimming, wading, and bathing is prohibited in the following water areas:

- All water areas within the perimeter of Jamestown Island.
- Wormley Pond
- Jones Mill Pond
- Bracken's Pond
- Yorktown Creek
- All water areas within the legislative boundary of Yorktown Battlefield.

These closures are in effect to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's natural and cultural resources, and to provide for public safety. These closures are designated pursuant to 36 CFR § 3.16.

M. Unmanned aircraft: Launching, landing, or operating an unmanned aircraft from or on lands and waters administered by the National Park Service within the boundaries of Colonial National Historical Park is prohibited except as approved in writing by the superintendent.

The term "unmanned aircraft" means a device that is used or intended to be used for flight in the air without the possibility of direct human intervention from within or on the device, and the associated operational elements and components that are required for the pilot or system operator in command to operate or control the device (such as cameras, sensors, communication links). This term includes all types of devices that meet this definition (e.g., model airplanes or qaudcopters, drones) that are used for any purpose, including for recreation or commerce.

The closure is in effect to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's natural and cultural resources and to provide for public safety.

(a)(2) The following areas have been designated for a specific use or activity and/or the following conditions or restrictions are imposed on a specific use or activity:

Bicycling: (See also 36 CFR § 4.30):

- Operation of bicycles is permitted on all public roadways within the park and on all fire roads and designated bicycle trails as shown on the park's trail plan.
- Bicycles are required to follow the same laws and regulations that apply to the safe operation of motor vehicles as required in both 36 CFR 4.30 (c) and Virginia State Law 46.2-800.
- In order to conform to Virginia State law 46.2-905, and pursuant to 36 CFR § 4. 30(d)(3), bicycles
 are prohibited from operating abreast of another bicycle on all roadways within the park.

Horse and Pack Animals (See also 36 CFR § 2.16):

- Horses, or other saddle or pack animals may be ridden on road shoulders and cleared fields within the Yorktown Battlefield, with the exception of areas listed as closed in 36 CFR 1.5.
- Horse drawn vehicles maybe used on the West and East Tour Roads of the Yorktown Battlefield and on Surrender Road. Vehicles must be properly marked as a slow vehicle in accordance with Virginia State Law.
- The following are prohibited:
 - Establishing new trails.
 - Riding or hitching horses or other saddle or pack animals in picnic areas or within the immediate vicinity of exhibit shelters, interpretive displays, visitor centers, cemeteries, or other areas of high visitor use.

- Riding or hitching horses or other saddle or pack animals so as to damage, injure, deface or disturb any historic structure, ruins, remains or earthworks.
- Jumping park structures, redoubts and earthworks, including fences, shrubbery and walls.
- Horse trailers shall be parked only at the designated Horse trailer Parking Area on Surrender Road.

Passenger Carrying Busses:

- Engines must be shut down when not underway.
- The Historic Triangle and Yorktown shuttle bus vehicles are exempt from engine shut down when in-service.

The idling of bus engines adds unnecessary exhaust fumes to the air and diminishes the enjoyment by visitors of the peace and tranquility of the park. Due to the nature of the service provided by the shuttle busses, they are excluded from the requirement.

Beach areas:

- The following areas are designated as beach areas where the use of glass containers, kites, or incompatible sporting activities is not permitted.
 - College Creek beach areas.
 - Cove 1 area at Yorktown Beach Picnic area.
 - Archer's Hope beach area.

These restrictions are in effect to maintain the historical significance of Colonial NHP, to protect the park's natural and cultural resources, and to provide for public safety. These restrictions are made pursuant to 36 CFR § 3.17.

36 CFR§ 1.6- ACTIVITIES THAT REQUIRE A PERMIT

Special Use Permits may be obtained by accessing an application at www.nps.gov/colo and clicking on "permits" on the main page, or by calling the Park at 757-898-2422.

Activities requiring a permit are listed above under <u>Public Use Limits</u> and throughout this document under the specific 36 CFR Section that authorizes or requires the issuances of a permit.

36 CFR §2.1 – PRESERVATION OF NATURAL, CULTURAL AND ARCHEOLOGICAL RESOURCES

(a)(4) All areas of the park are closed to wood gathering.

(a)(5) The following conditions are in effect for walking, climbing, entering, ascending or traversing the listed archeological or cultural resource, monuments or statues:

- The first earthworks east of the Yorktown visitor center (known as the British Defensive Line), and the earthworks known as the Grand French Battery, American Battery and Redoubt 9 may be walked upon via a hard surface trail for purposes of viewing the Battlefield.
- All other earthworks and cultural artifacts within the park are closed to walking, climbing and bicycles.
- Bicycles are not allowed on any earthworks, including those with a hard surface trail.
- Climbing on the exposed cliff areas of Cornwallis Cave is not permitted.

(c)(1), (c)(2) The following fruits, nuts, berries or unoccupied seashells may be gathered by hand for personal use or consumption, in accordance with the noted size, quantity, collection sites and/or use or consumption restrictions:

- No gathering of paleontology seashells is permitted in the park.
- Gathering of fruits, nuts, berries to include walnuts, pine nuts, pine cones, berries

(blackberries, huckleberries, etc...), hickory nuts, acorns is permitted within the boundaries of the Yorktown Battlefield and along the Colonial Parkway. Quantity limited to one quart per visit.

The possession and collection of the Yorktown Onion (Allium ampeloprasum [var.] atroviolaceum), its parts and products is prohibited.

The collecting of fruits, nuts, berries from plants that produce on a perennial basis is consistent with the protection of the park's natural resources.

36 CFR §2.2 - WILDLIFE PROTECTION

- (d) The transporting of lawfully taken wildlife through the park is permitted under the following conditions and procedures:
 - Transporting of lawfully taken wildlife is prohibited through the park, except on the following public roads- Crawford Rd., Goosley Rd., US-17, Cook Rd., Ballard St., Rt 238.
- (e) The following areas are closed to the viewing of wildlife with the use of an artificial light:
 - All areas of the Colonial NHP are closed to viewing of wildlife with the use of an artificial light.

36 CFR §2.3 - FISHING

(a) Fishing is permitted in the park except in the locations listed in Title 36 Section 1.5

36 CFR §2.4 – WEAPONS, TRAPS, AND NETS

(a)(1)(i) & (ii) Visitors may possess and carry firearms within Colonial NHP in accordance with federal, state, and local laws.

Federal law prohibits firearms in certain park facilities and buildings. These places are marked with signs at public entrances. The federal facilities for Colonial National Historical Park are listed in attachment 6.

Other weapons, traps and nets as defined under 36 CFR 1.4 will require a permit.

36 CFR §2.5 - RESEARCH SPECIMENS

(a) Taking plants, fish, wildlife, rocks or minerals is prohibited except in accordance with other regulations of Chapter I of 36 CFR or pursuant to the terms and conditions of a specimen collection permit.

36 CFR §2.10 - CAMPING and FOOD STORAGE

(a) As listed in section 1.5 (a)(1) " Closures", all areas of the park are closed to camping.

36 CFR §2.11 – PICNICKING

Certain areas of the park have been closed to picnicking and are listed in section 1.5 (a)(1) " Closures"

36 CFR § 2.12 – AUDIO DISTURBANCES

- (a)(2) Operating a power saw in developed areas is prohibited, except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.
- (a)(3) Operating any type of portable motor or engine, or device powered by a portable motor or engine in nondeveloped areas is prohibited, excepted pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit.

(a)(4) Operating a public address system is prohibited, except in connection with a public gathering or special event for which a permit has been issued pursuant to § 2.50 or § 2.51.

36 CFR 2.13 - FIRES

(a)(1) The lighting or maintaining of fires is generally prohibited, except as provided for in the following designated areas and/or receptacles, and under the conditions noted:

Designated Areas:

Beach Picnic Area

Receptacles Allowed:

- · Camp/Gas stoves
- · Charcoal grills.
- (b) Fires must be extinguished according to the following conditions:
 - All fires shall be completely extinguished and be cold to the touch prior to abandonment.
 - Disposal of remaining ash and byproducts into garbage cans is prohibited.

36 CFR §2.14 – SANITATION and REFUSE

- (a)(2) The use of government refuse receptacles or facilities for dumping household, commercial or industrial refuse, brought as such from private or municipal property is prohibited within the park.
- (b) Conditions for the disposal, containerization, or carryout of human body waste have been established as follows:
- The disposal of human body waste shall be accomplished only at public restroom facilities within the park.

36 CFR §2.15 - PETS

- (a)(1) The following structures and/or areas are closed to the possession of pets:
 - The Yorktown National Cemetery.
 - All park buildings, except park residences. Exception for guide animals assisting disabled persons.
- (a)(5) Pet excrement must be disposed of in accordance with the following conditions:
 - Must be removed from the park by the pet owner/handler.
- (e) Pets may be kept by park residents under the following conditions:
 - With approval of Park Superintendent

36 CFR §2.16 - HORSES and PACK ANIMALS

The following animals are designated as pack animals for purposes of transporting equipment:

- Horses, mules, llamas
- (b) The use of horses or pack animals is allowed on the following trails, routes or areas:
 - As outlined in Section 1.5 (a)(1) "Closures".
- (g) Other conditions concerning the use of horses or pack animals:
 - Riding on road shoulders and cleared fields within Yorktown Battlefield unit except as listed in 1.5 (a)(l) " Closures"

36 CFR §2.17 – AIRCRAFT and AIR DELIVERY

(c)(1) The removal of a downed aircraft, components, or parts thereof is subject to procedures established by the Superintendent through written authorization.

36 CFR §2.18 - SNOWMOBILES

Operation of snowmobiles is prohibited in the park.

36 CFR §2.19 - WINTER ACTIVITIES

See Section 1.5 (a) (I) "Closures" for designated areas and types of winter activities permitted in the park.

36 CFR §2.20 – SKATING, SKATEBOARDS and SIMILAR DEVICES

The use of roller skates, skateboards, roller skis, coasting vehicles, or similar devices is prohibited in the park.

36 CFR §2.21 - SMOKING

- (a) The following portions of the park, or all or portions of buildings, structures or facilities are closed to smoking as noted:
 - All park buildings are smoke free as required by law.

36 CFR §2.22 - PROPERTY

- (a)(2) Leaving property unattended for longer than 24 hours is prohibited, except in the following areas and under the following conditions:
 - Notification has been made to the park of the location of the unattended property and date for removal.
 - Geocaching is prohibited within the park.

36 CFR §2.23 - RECREATION FEES

(b) Recreation fees, and/or a permit, in accordance with 36 CFR part 71, are established for the following entrance fee areas, and/or for the use of the following specialized sites, facilities, equipment or services, or for participation in the following group activity, recreation events or specialized recreation uses:

Entrance Fee Areas:

RATES At Historic Jamestowne: There is a \$14 entrance fee per adult, age 16 and older; children through age 15 are free. This \$14 fee consists of a \$7 NPS entrance fee and a \$7 Preservation Virginia entrance fee. (Preservation Virginia owns a portion of Historic Jamestowne.) The entrance fee is good for seven days entrance from date of purchase and also includes entrance to Yorktown Battlefield. Commercial tour companies should contact the park for fee information. Educational groups may qualify for a fee waiver and should contact the park at 757-898-2411. Golden Age pass holders pay a \$5 per person Preservation Virginia entrance fee for the pass holder and accompanying spouse and children. Colonial Annual Park pass; Interagency Annual, and Senior pass holders pay a \$5 per person Preservation Virginia entrance fee for the pass holder and up to three additional adults. Access and Military passes are available and honored for pass holder and up to three additional adults.

RATES At Yorktown Battlefield: There is a \$7.00 Colonial National Historical Park entrance fee per adult, age 16 and older; children through age 15 are free. The entrance fee is good for seven days entrance from date of purchase and also includes the NPS portion of the Historic Jamestowne entrance fee. Commercial tour companies should contact the park for fee information. Educational groups may qualify for a fee waiver and should contact the park at 757-898-2411. Golden Age and Access passes honored for pass holder and accompanying spouse and children. Annual Park pass; Interagency Annual, Senior, Access and Military passes are available and honored for pass holder and up to three additional adults. (Additional pass information: www.recreation.gov.)

36 CFR §2.35 -ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES and CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

(a)(3)(i) The following public use areas, portions of public use areas, and/or public facilities within the park are closed to consumption of alcoholic beverages, and/or to the possession of a bottle, can or other receptacle containing an alcoholic beverage that is open, or has been opened, or whose seal has been broken or the contents of which have been partially removed:

All areas of the park are closed to the consumption of alcoholic beverages, and/or the
possession of a bottle, can or other receptacle containing an alcoholic beverage that is open,
or has been opened, or whose seal has been broken or the contents of which have been
partially removed.

This closure is in effect in order to be in compliance with state law and to protect the historical significance of the park.

36 CFR §2.37 - NONCOMMERICAL SOLICITING

Soliciting or demanding gifts, money, goods, or services is prohibited except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit that has been issued under §2.50, §2.51, or §2.52.

36 CFR §2.38 - EXPLOSIVES

- (b) Fireworks and firecrackers may be possessed and/or used in the following areas, under the conditions noted:
 - Under condition of a permit issued by the Superintendent
 - Use of black powder for interpretive programs sponsored by the National Park Service.

36 CFR §2.50 - SPECIAL EVENTS

(a) Sports events, pageants, regattas, public spectator attractions, entertainments, ceremonies, and similar events are allowed, provided there is a meaningful association between the park area and the events, and the observance contributes to visitor understanding of the significance of the park area, and a permit therefore has been issued by the superintendent.

36 CFR §2.51 - DEMONSTRATIONS

- (b) Demonstrations of 25 people or less are allowed within the park areas designated as available under paragraph (c)(2). Demonstrations of more than 25 people are allowed within designated park areas when the superintendent has issued a permit for the activity.
- (c)(2) The following locations are designated as available for demonstrations:
 - Yorktown Battlefield:
 - The grassy area in the northeast section of the Yorktown Battlefield visitor center bounded by and not including the paved walkway to the pedestrian bridge and the curb of the bus parking spaces.
 - Colonial Parkway:
 - The grassy area on the south side of the Colonial Parkway, west of Archers Hope and across from the Gospel Spreading Farm.
 - Historic Jamestowne:

The grassy area west of the Historic Jamestowne visitor center, bounded by but not including the entrance road, staff parking area, and driveway to Preservation Virginia property.

36 CFR §2.52 - SALE OR DISTRIBUTION OF PRINTED MATTER

(b) The sale or distribution of printed matter by 25 people or less is allowed within the park areas designated as available under §2.51(c)(2) (see above). The sale or distribution of printed matter by more than 25 persons is allowed within designated park areas when the superintendent has issued a permit.

36 CFR §2.61 - RESIDING ON FEDERAL LANDS

(a)Residing in park areas, other than on privately owned lands, is prohibited except pursuant to the terms and conditions of a permit lease or contract.

36 CFR §2.62 - MEMORIALIZATION

(b) A permit is required for the scattering of ashes from cremated human remains, in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

The scattering of human ashes from cremation, with a permit, is allowed under the following terms

- The remains to be scattered must have been cremated and pulverized.
- The scattering of remains by persons on the ground is to be performed at least 100 yards from any trail, road, developed facility, or body of water.
- The scattering of remains from the air is to be performed at a minimum altitude of 2000 feet above the ground.
- No scattering of remains from the air is to be performed over developed areas, facilities, or bodies of water.

36 CFR §3.6 - BOATING OPERATIONS

All waters within the park's legislative boundary are closed to boating operations as outlined in 36 CFR 7.1. Except in emergencies, no privately owned vessel shall be launched from land within Colonial National Historical Park and no privately owned vessel shall be beached or landed within the Park.

36 CFR §3.16 - SWIMMING AND WADING

As outlined in 36 CFR §1.5 of this document, swimming, bathing, or wading is allowed in waters, subject to closures at the following water areas:

- Wormley Pond
- Jones Mill Pond
- Bracken's Pond
- Yorktown Creek
- All water areas within the legislative boundary of Yorktown Battlefield.

36 CFR §3.17 – SWIMMING AREAS AND BEACHES

- (b) As outlined in 36 CFR §1.5 of this document the use of glass containers, kites, or incompatible sporting activities are not permitted on the following swimming areas and beaches:
 - College Creek beach area.

- Cove 1 area at Yorktown Beach Picnic Area.
- Archer's Hope beach area.

36 CFR §4.11 - VEHICLE LOAD, WEIGHT AND SIZE LIMITS

- (a) The following load, weight and size limits, which are more restrictive than State law, apply to the roads indicated under the terms and conditions, and/or under permit as noted:
 - East and West Tour Roads- Yorktown Battlefield- 5 tons
 - Historic Jamestowne Tour Roads- 5 tons
 - Colonial Parkway: Single axle- 10 tons

Double axle- 15 tons

36 CFR §4.21 - SPEED LIMITS

- (b) The following speed limits are established for the routes/roads indicated:
 - Beach Picnic Area- 15 MPH
 - East and West Tour Roads- Yorktown Battlefield- 15 MPH
 - Surrender Road- Yorktown Battlefield- 25 MPH
 - Historic Jamestowne Loop Road- 15 MPH
 - Colonial Parkway
 - 1. From Historic Jamestowne entrance gate to the Historic Jamestowne visitor center: 25 MPH
 - 2. From Historic Jamestowne entrance gate to KM 32.5: 35 MPH
 - 3. From KM-32.5 to KM-27: 45 MPH
 - 4. From KM-27 to KM-26: 35 MPH
 - 5. From KM- 26 to Newport Ave: 45 MPH
 - 6. From Newport Ave to Parkway Drive: 35 MPH
 - 7. From Parkway Drive to US-17: 45 MPH
 - 8. From US-17 to Ballard St. (Five Points): 35 MPH

36 CFR §4.30 - BICYCLES

Park roads and parking areas that are closed to bicycle use are listed in Title 36 Section 1.5 of this document.

The following additional routes, in developed areas or special use zones, have been designated for bicycle use:

- Park Fire Roads
- Gravel Bicycle connector trail West Tour Road to Surrender Road
- Treasure Island bike trail.

Bicycle use is permitted on the park's maintained fire roads as part of the park's designated trail system. Use is consistent with protecting the park's natural and cultural resources and provides visitors with established bike routes to adjacent park area bike paths.

36 CFR §4.31 - HITCHHIKING

In order to conform to Virginia State Law 46.2-99, the solicitation of rides by pedestrians or hitchhiking along any roadway within Colonial NHP is prohibited.